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Date October 22, 2002

In re the Application of

Richard M. WASSERMAN

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For: **HARDWARE VISION SIMULATION SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR VISION  
INSPECTION SYSTEMS**

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TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

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